

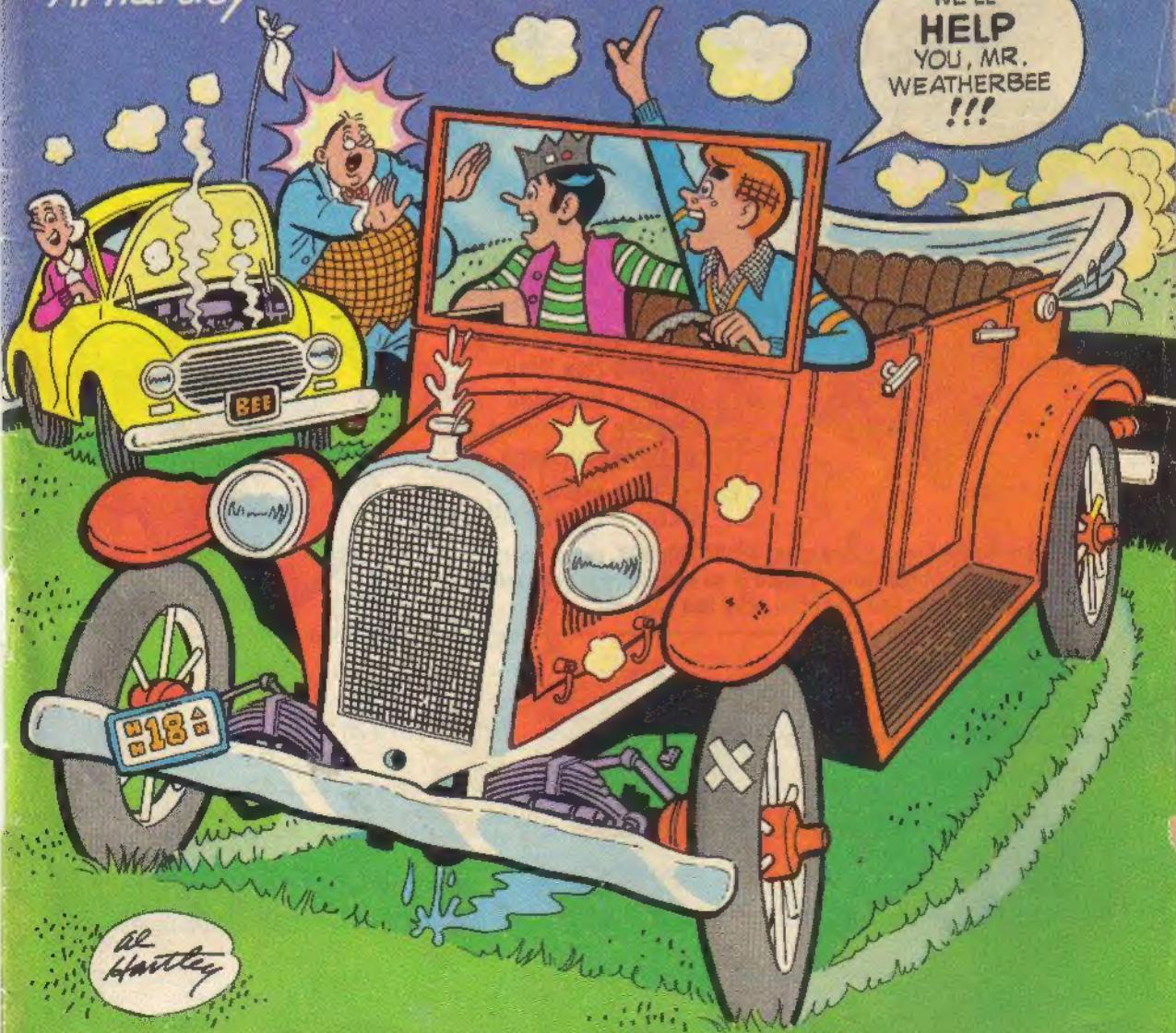
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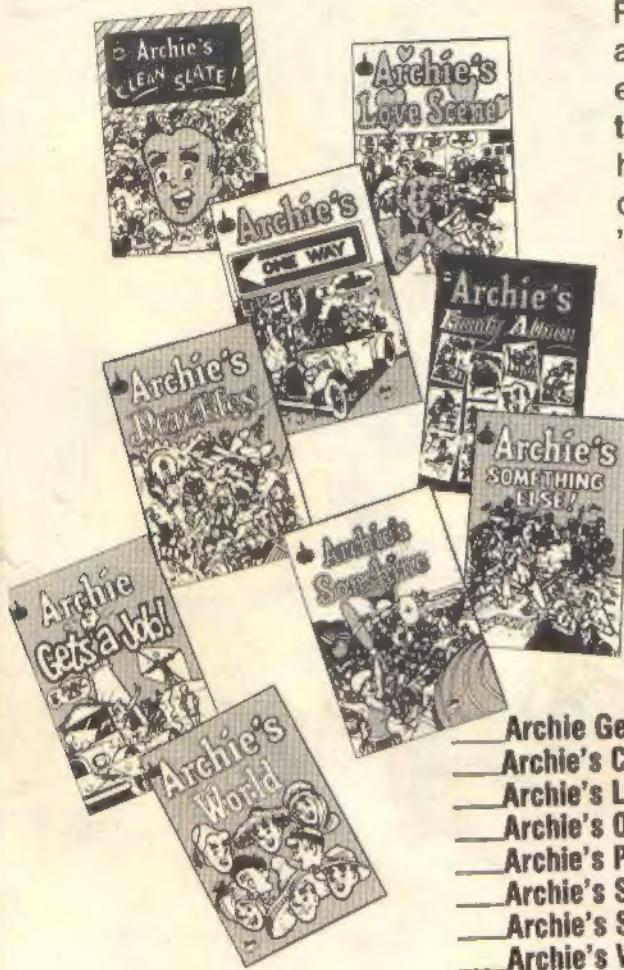
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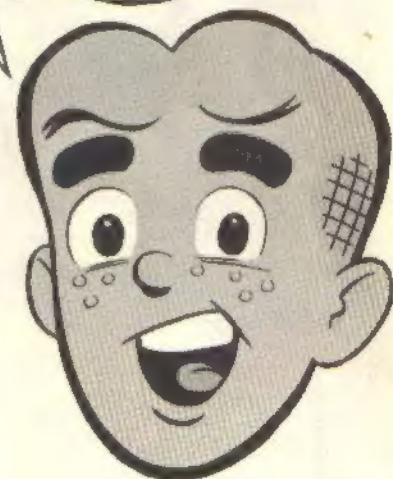
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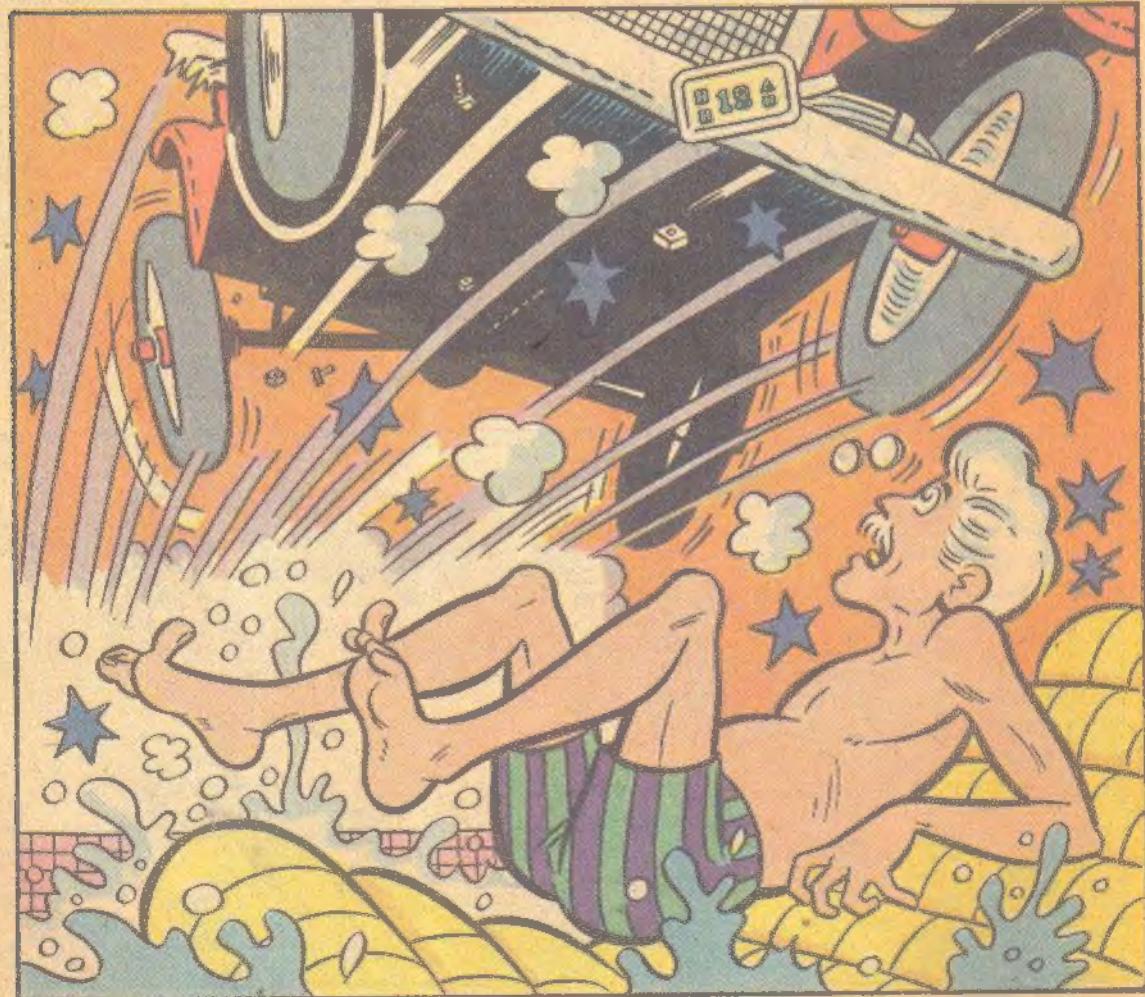
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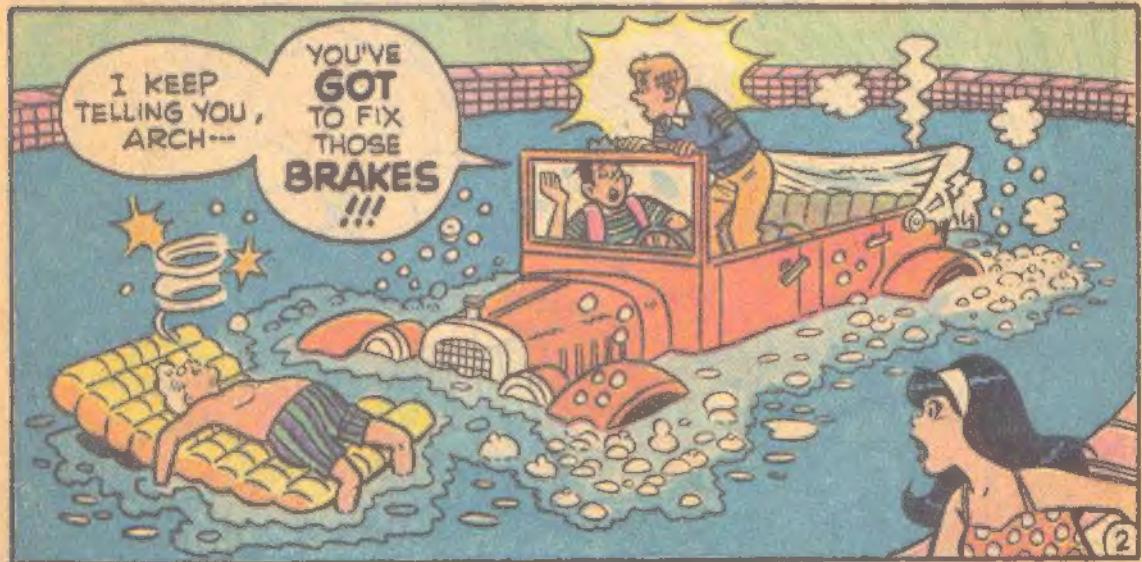
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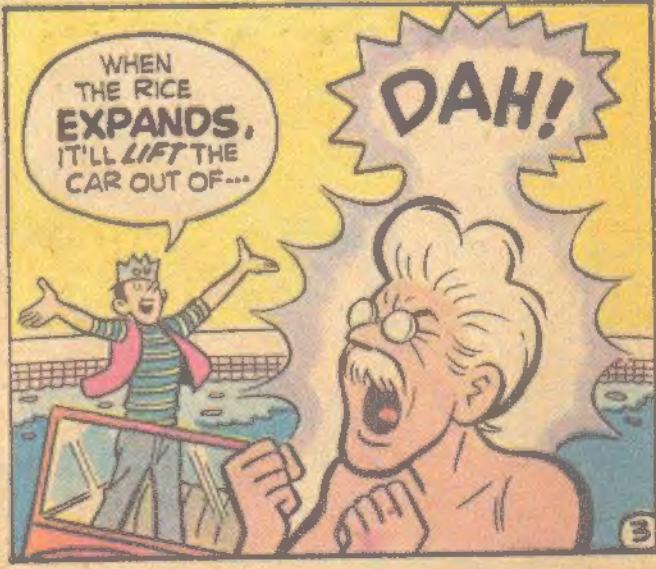
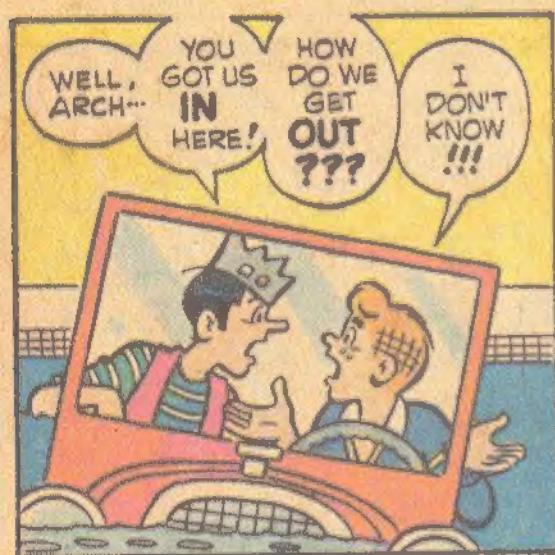
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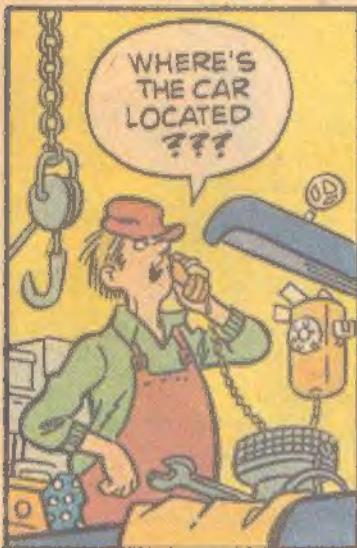


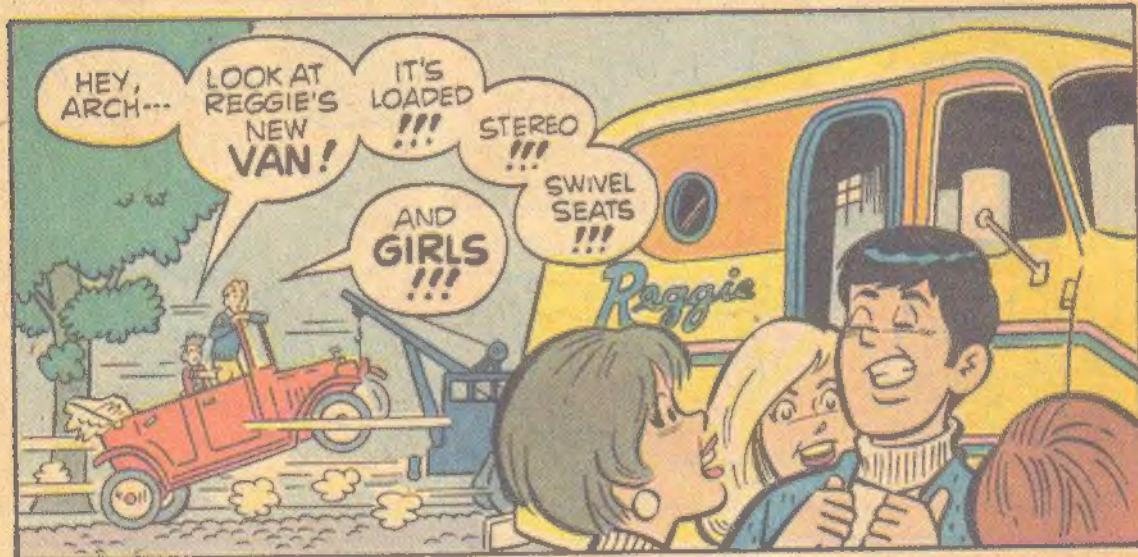
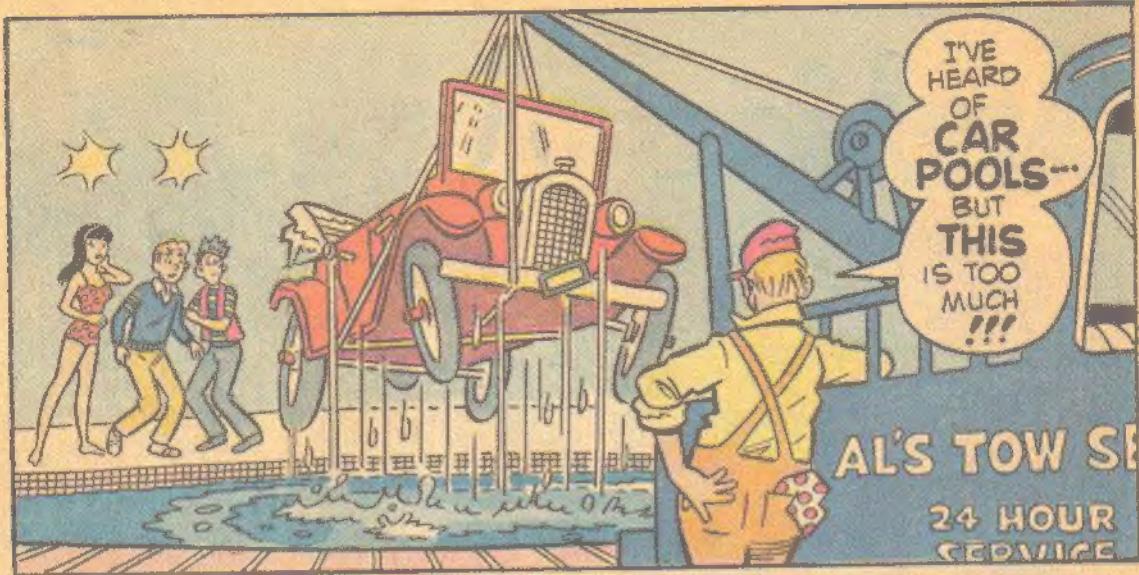
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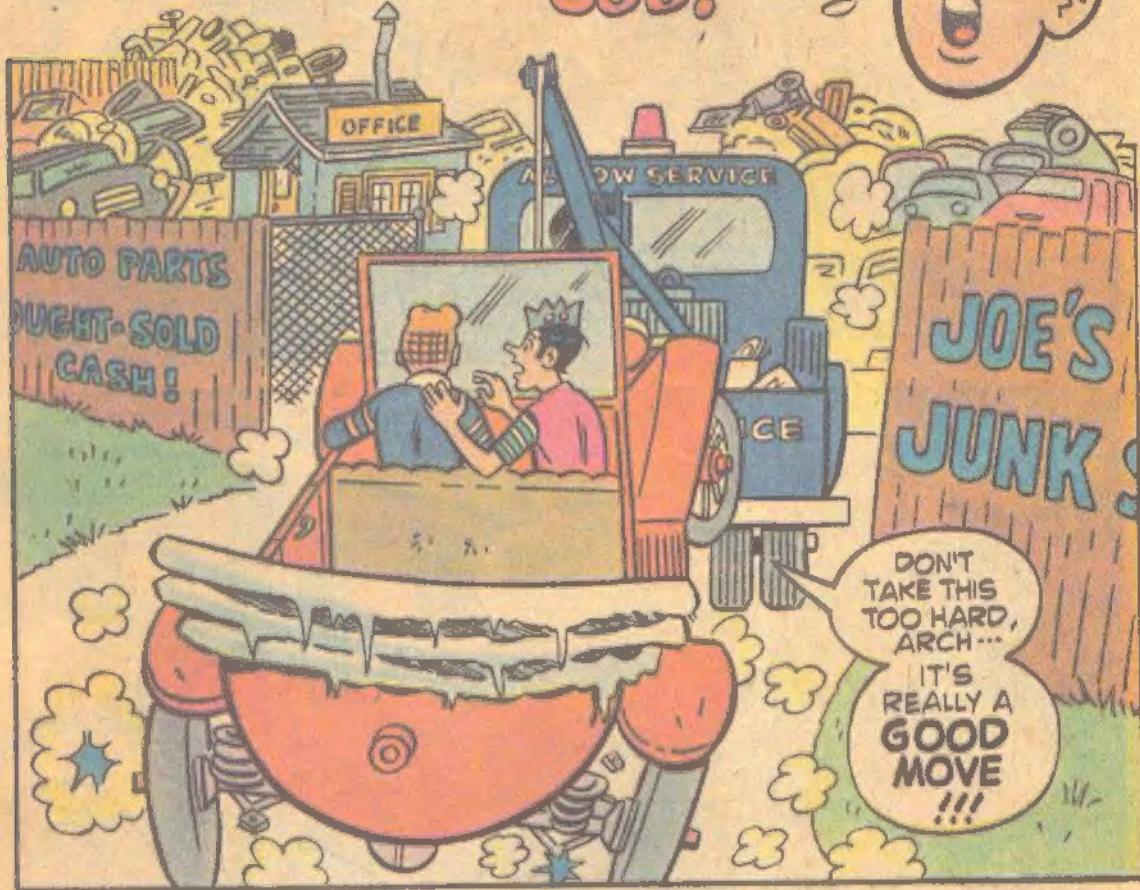


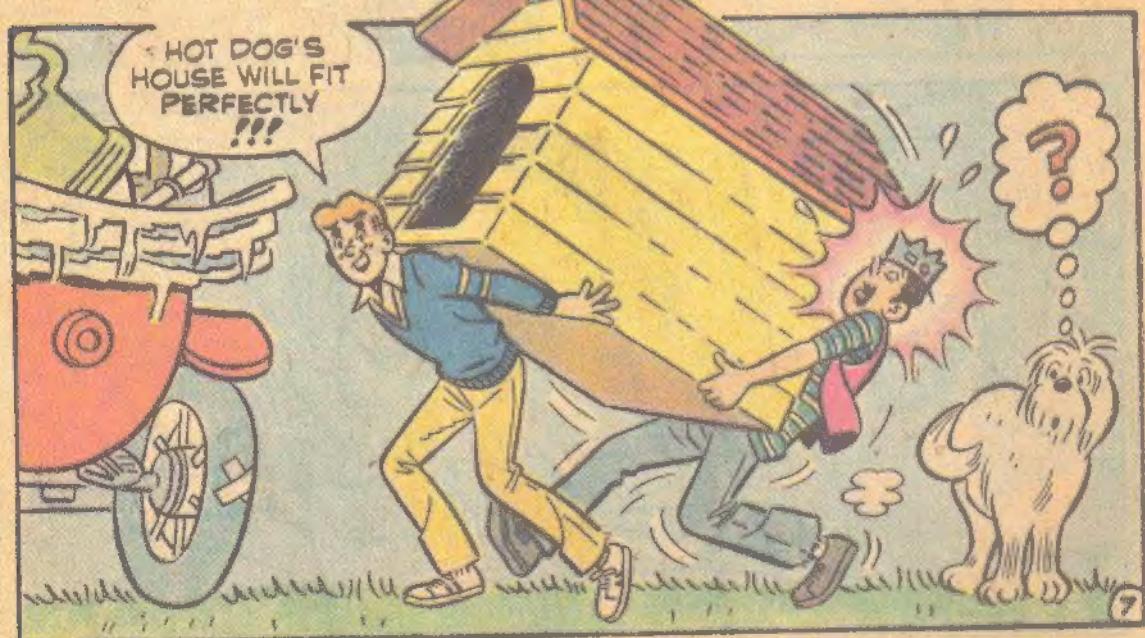
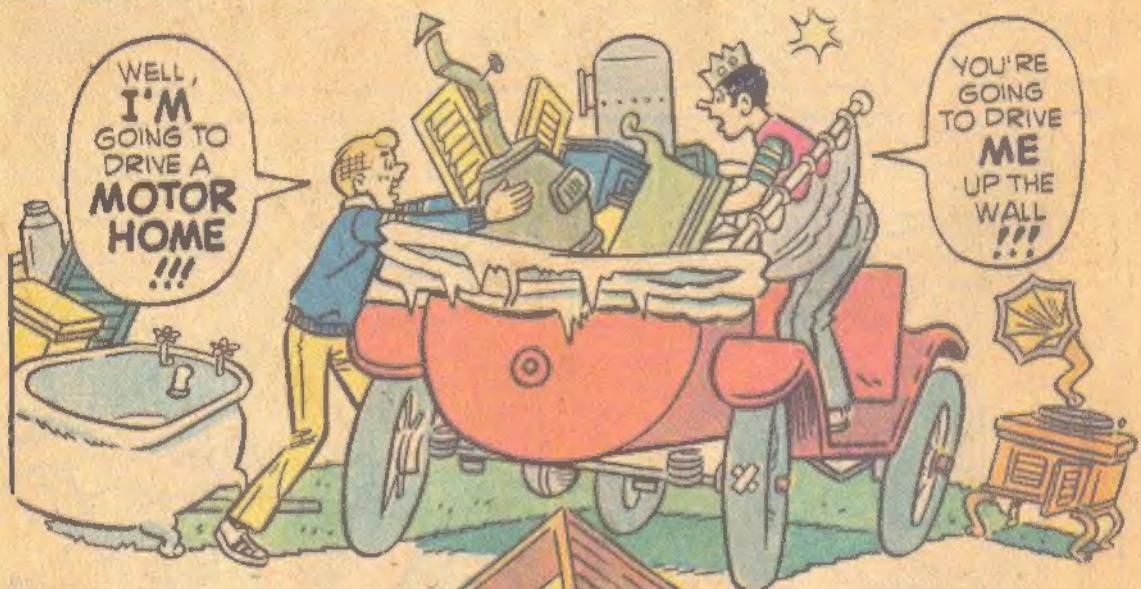




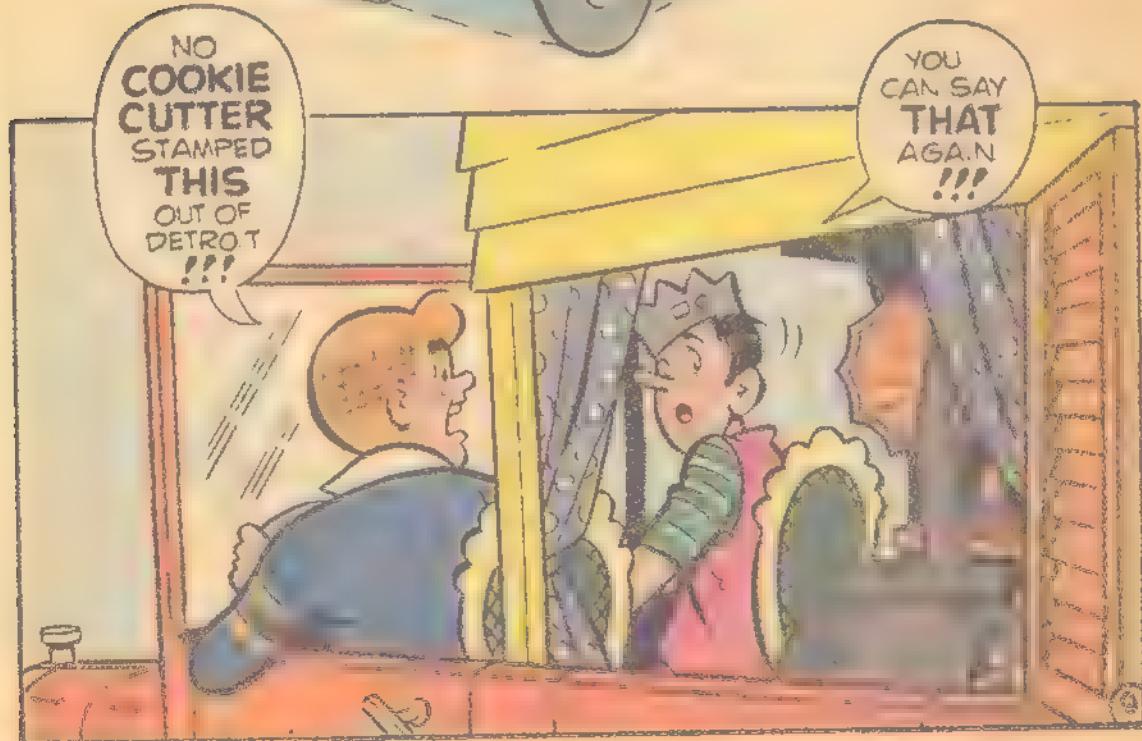
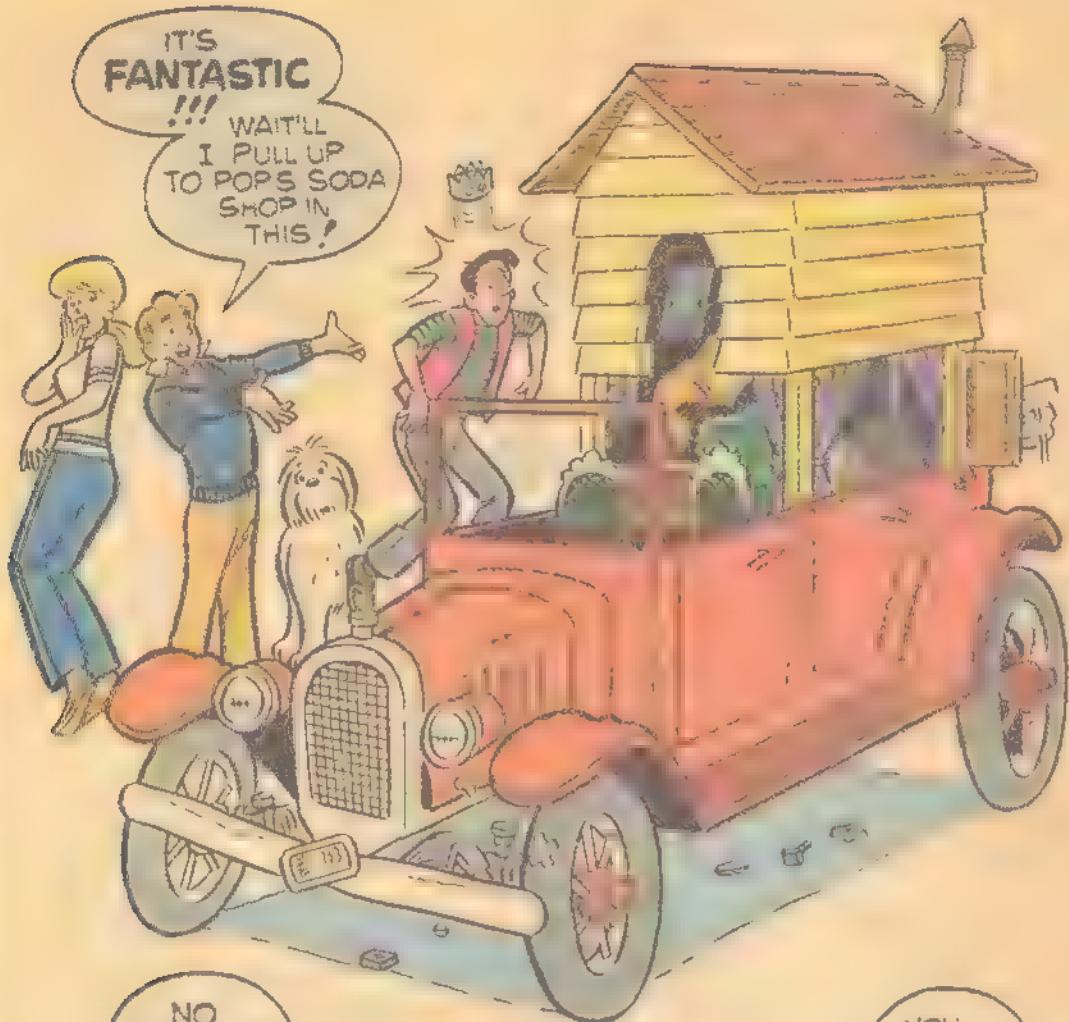


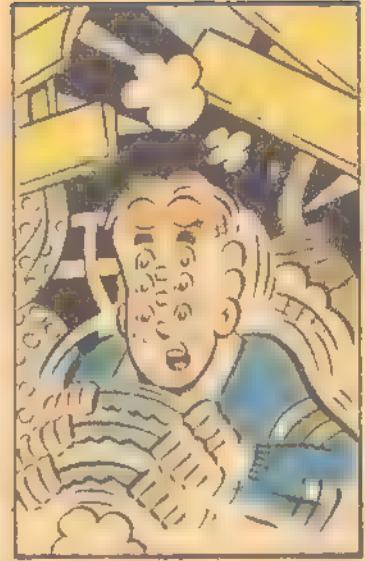
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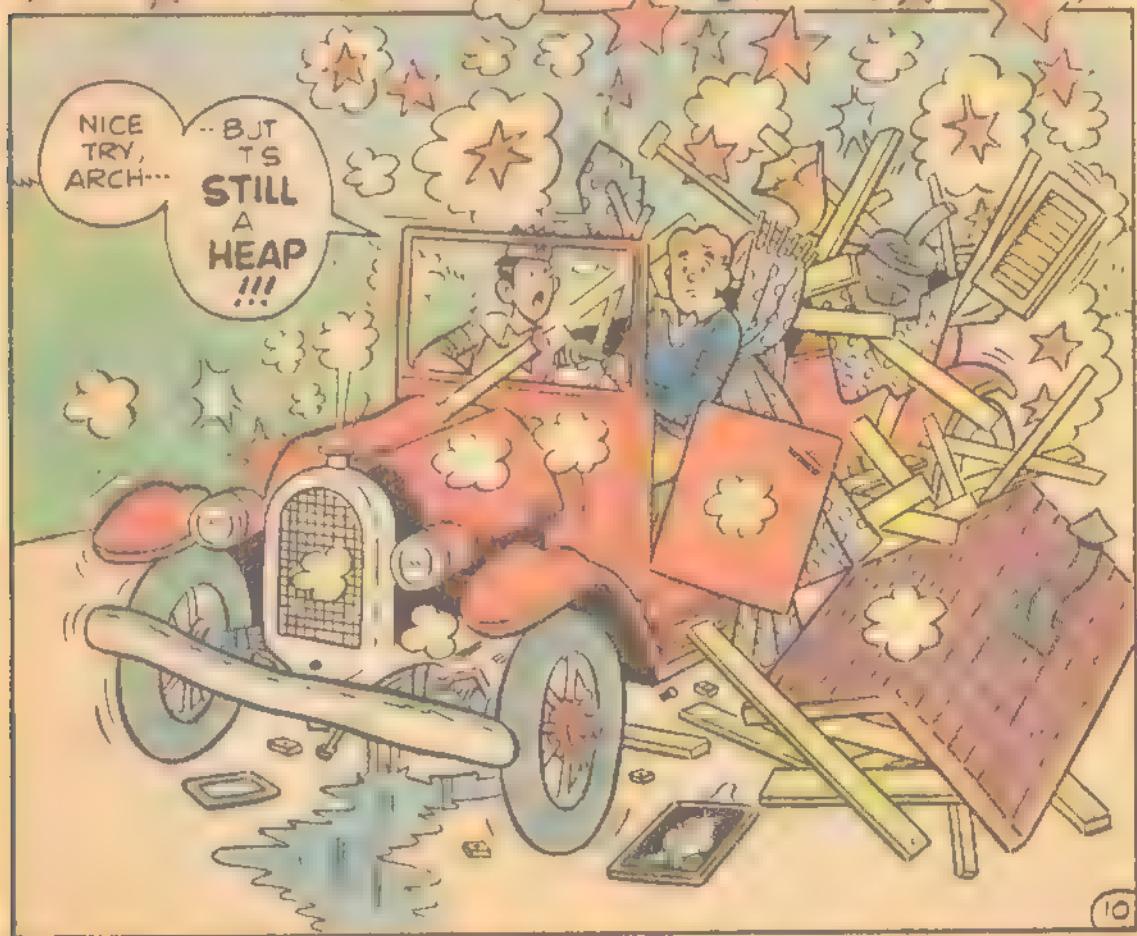






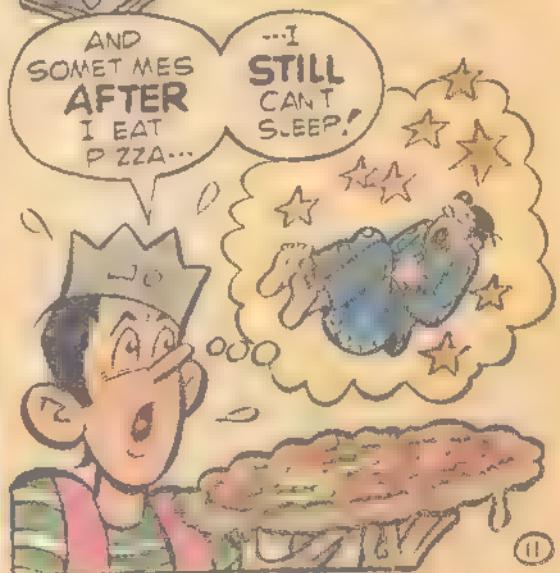
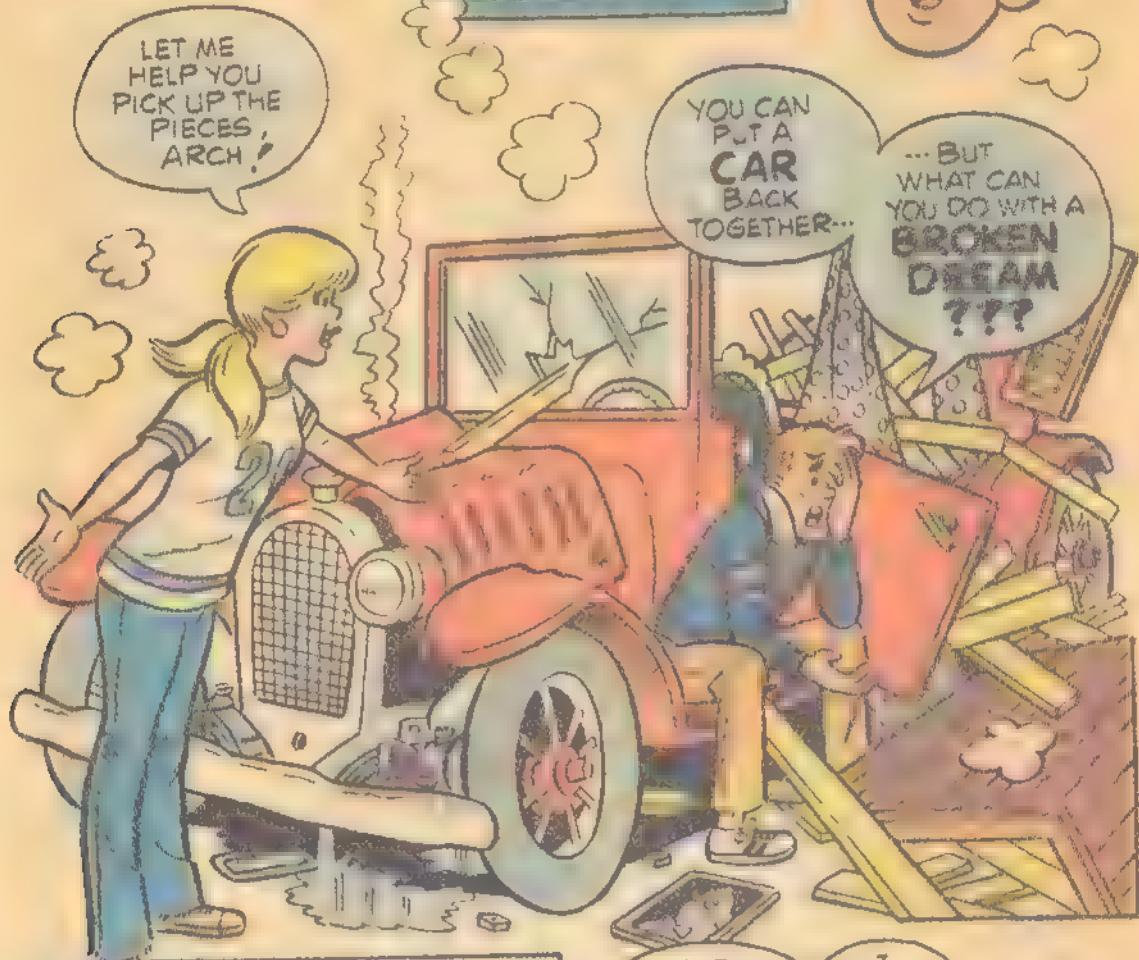


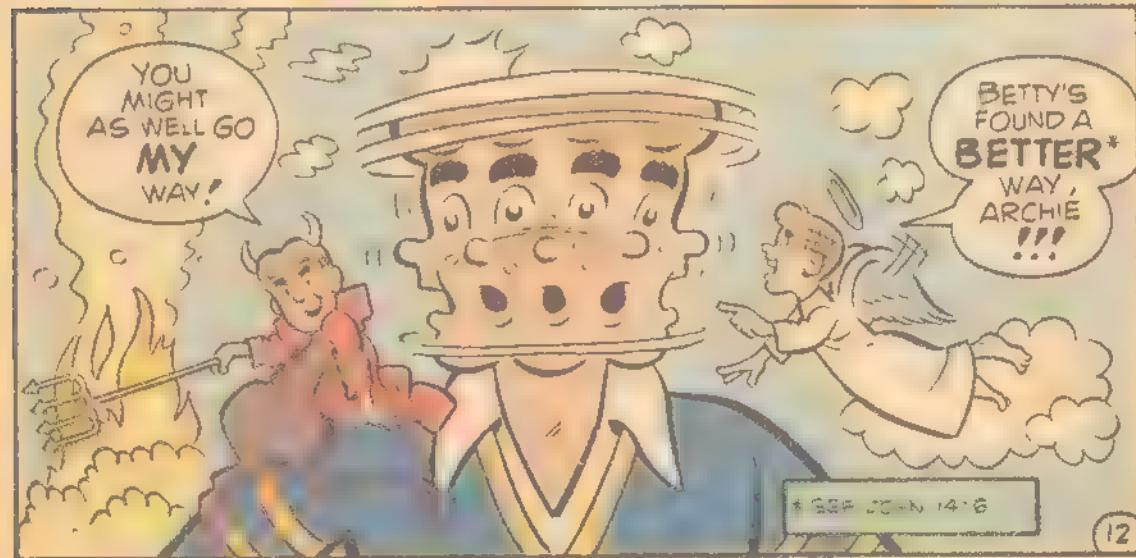
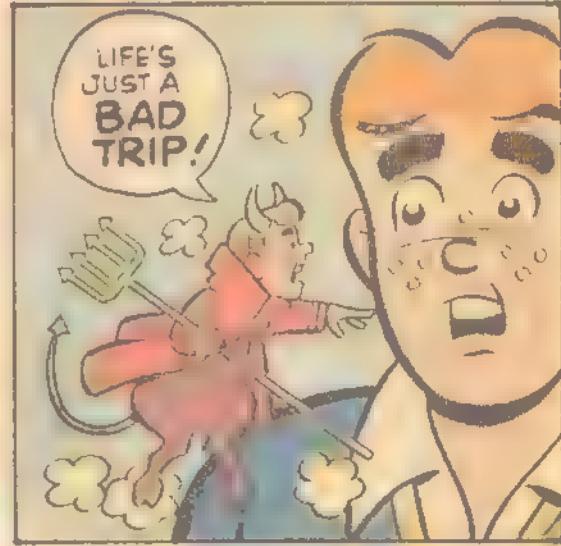
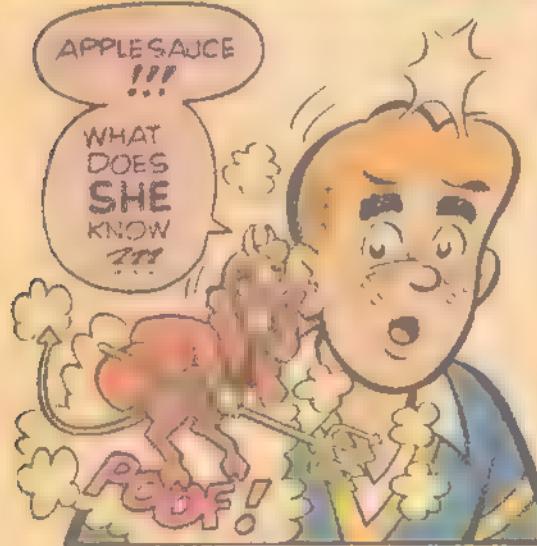
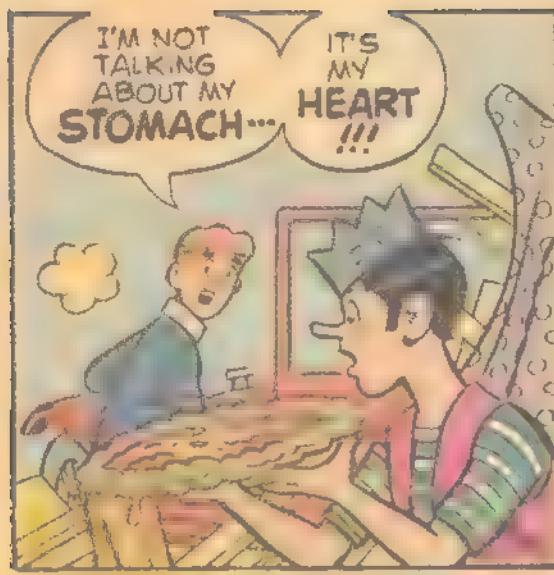
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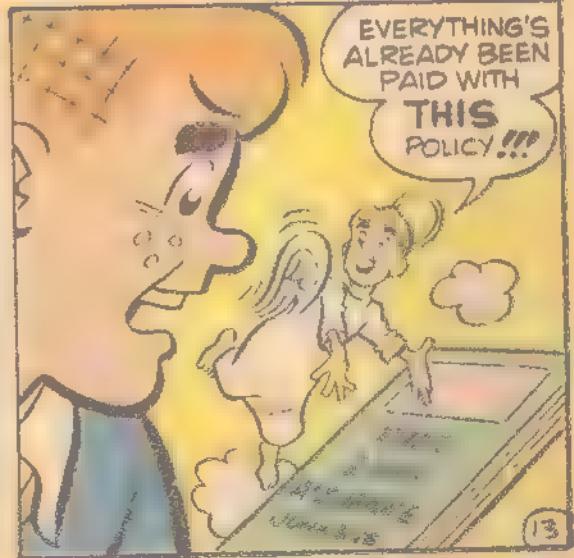
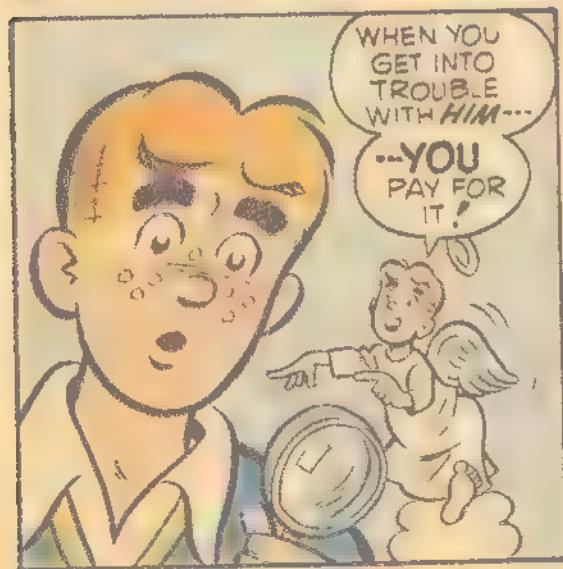


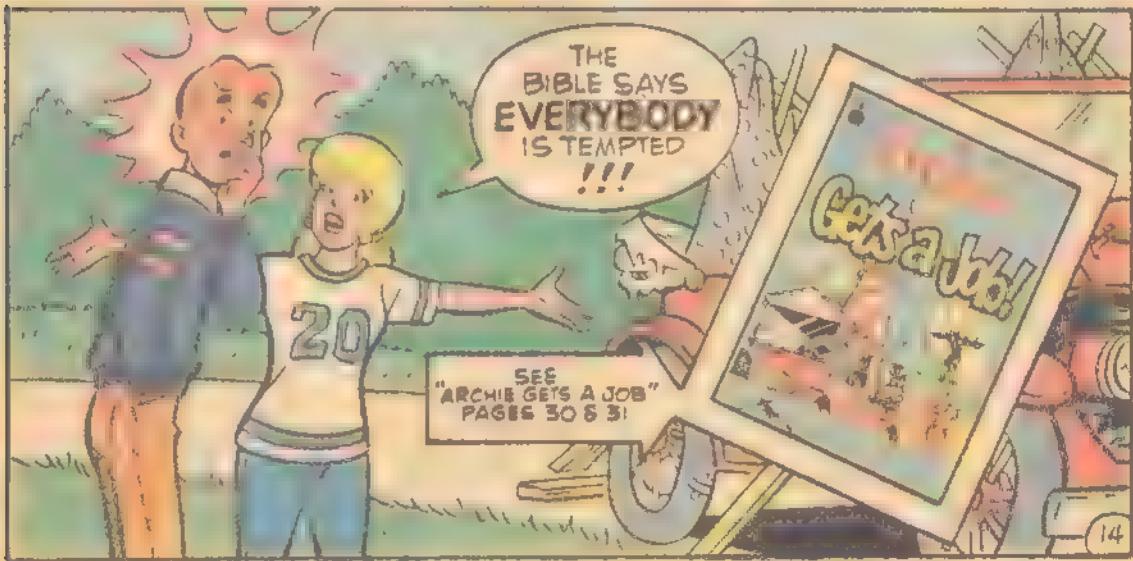
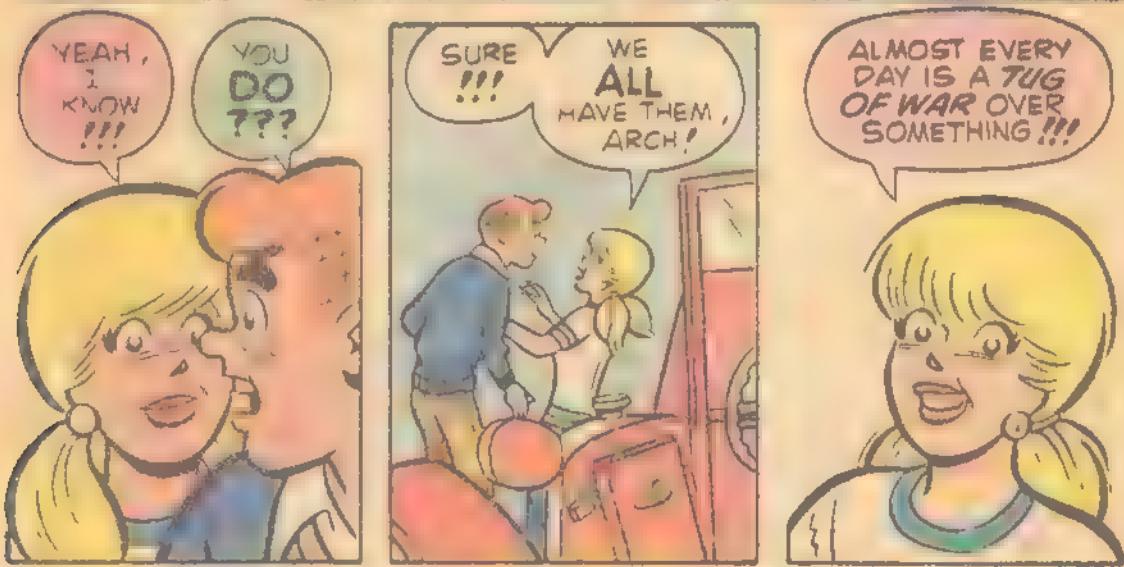
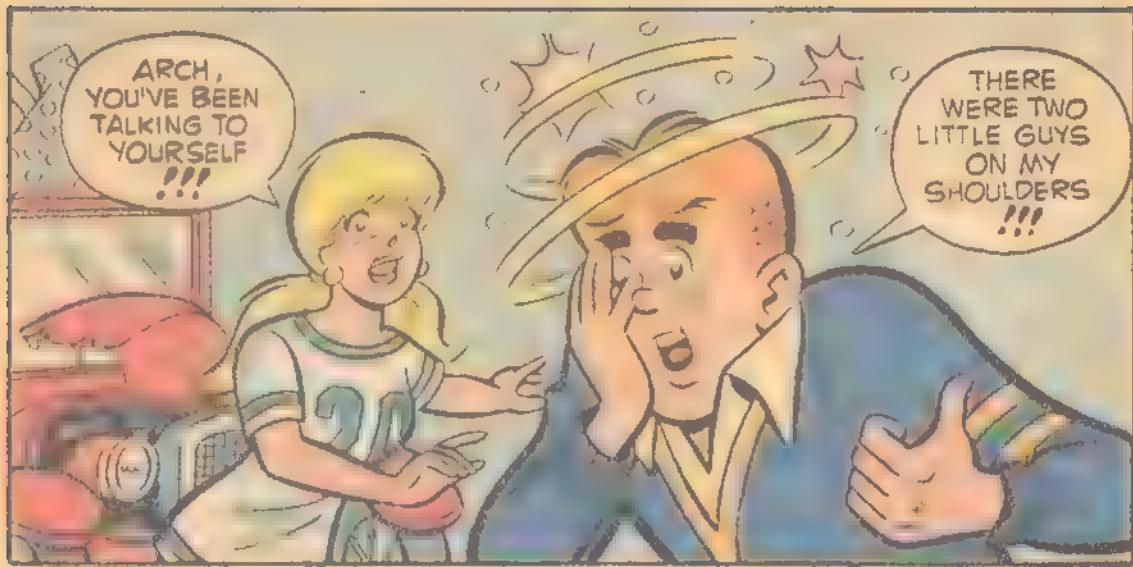
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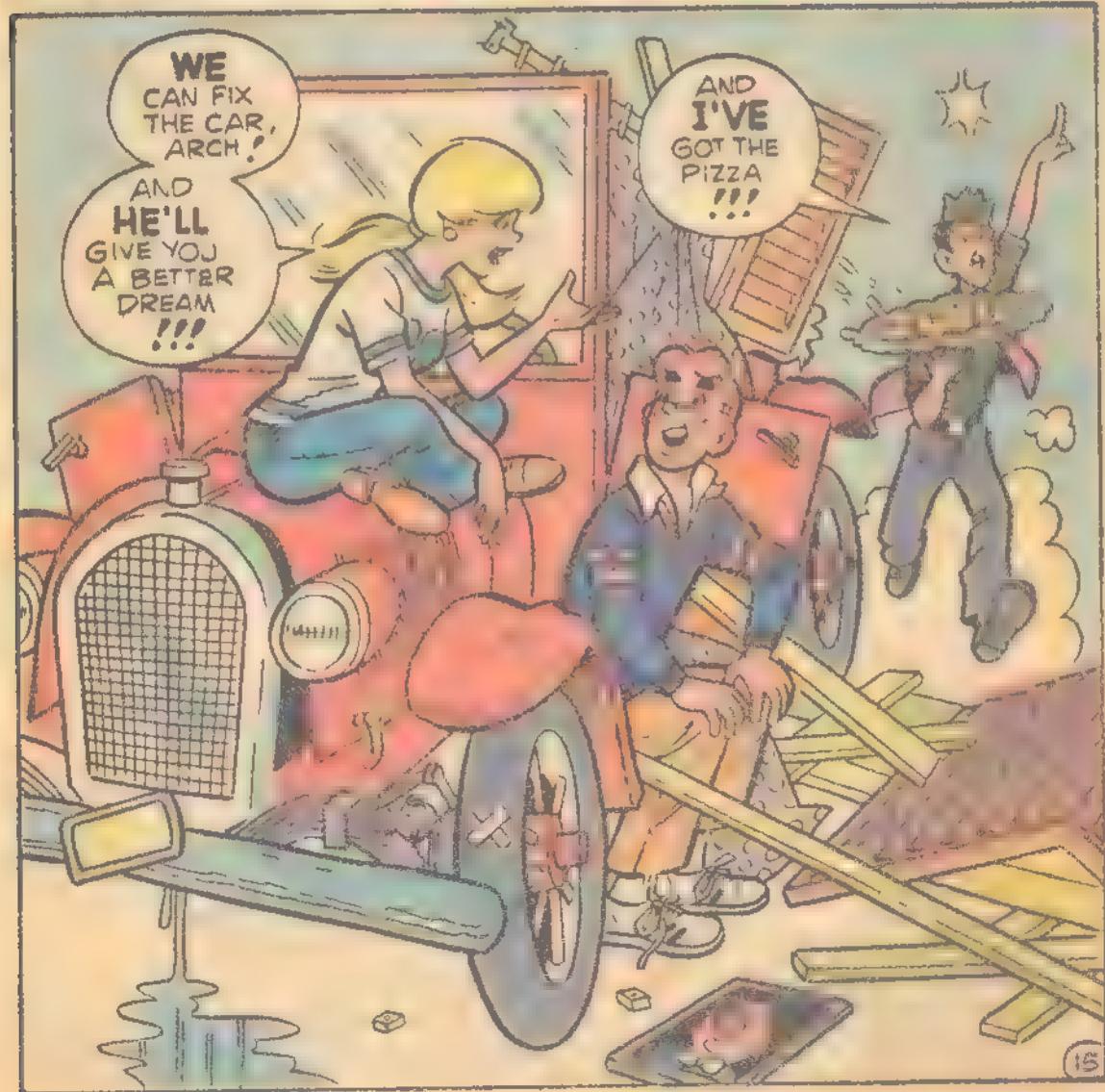
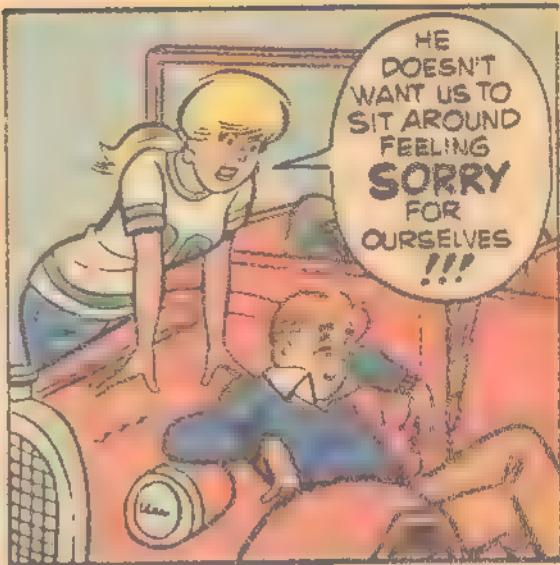
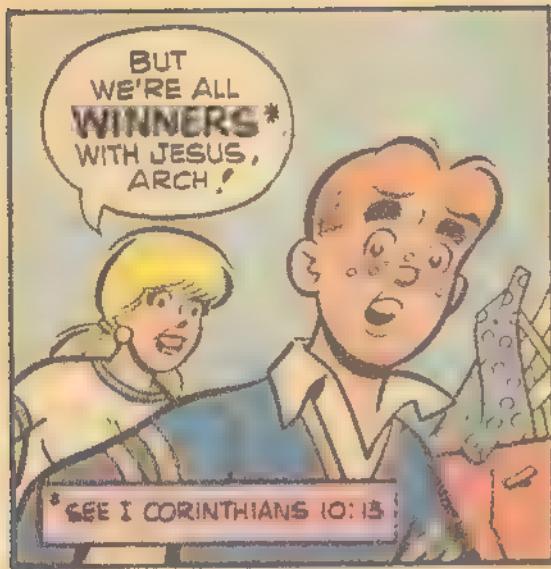
SHOULDER
SHOULDER!













YOU'RE PART
OF A FAMILY OF
 **MILLIONS
OF READERS**
!!!



SPIRE'S SPECIAL SUPER

DEAR AL:

THANKS FOR MAKING
THE ARCHIE SERIES MORE
THAN JUST LAUGHS AND
SLAPSTICK! I'M CADEN
WITH QUESTIONS ABOUT
LIFE AND YOU'RE HELPING
ME FIND THE ANSWERS!

TED B.
CLEVELAND, O.

DEAR TED:

YOU HIT THE NAIL ON
THE HEAD! NO ONE CAN
LAUGH 24 HOURS A DAY!
THERE ARE MANY PARTS
TO LIFE! WE TRY TO TAKE
A NEW SLICE IN EVERY
ISSUE OF SPIRE COMICS!

AL

DEAR AL:

I'M IN PRISON BECAUSE
I GOT OFF ON THE WRONG
FOOT AND MADE A MISTAKE!
* I READ A COUPLE OF YOUR
SPIRE COMICS AND HAD MY
EYES OPENED TO A LOT OF
THINGS! I'D LIKE TO GET
SOME SPIRE COMICS FOR MY
KID BROTHER! I WANT HIS
LIFE TO TURN OUT RIGHT AND
I THINK YOUR COMICS CAN
HELP HIM!

I JUST WISH I HAD READ
THEM SOONER!

CARL C
ARCADIA, MI.

* THOUSANDS OF
CHRISTIANS ALL ACROSS
AMERICA ARE DISTRIBUTING
SPIRE COMICS **FREE**
IN PRISONS!



DEAR CARL:

IT'S NOT TOO LATE FOR
CHRIST TO CHANGE YOUR
LIFE!
WE'RE SENDING YOU A
COPY OF EVERY SPIRE COMIC
(37 TITLES) AND ALSO THE
BIBLE! THAT'S STILL THE
GREATEST BOOK!

AL



DEAR AL:

I'VE READ
OVER 30 SPIRE
COMICS!
WHICH ONE
IS YOUR
FAVORITE?
BILL H.
MESA, CAL.

DEAR BILL:

I GUESS
OUR FAVORITE
IS ALWAYS
THE **LATEST**
ONE! WE
TRY TO MAKE
THEM BETTER
AND BETTER!

AL

P.S.

DON'T MISS
THESE TWO!



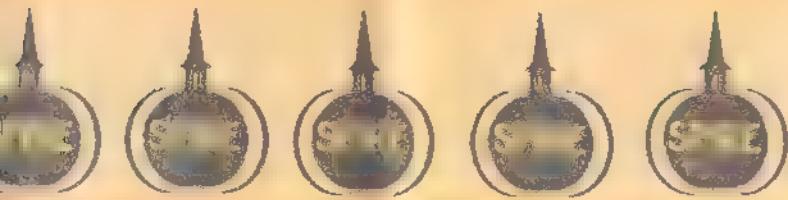
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I TOOK SOME OF
YOUR BOOKS TO SCHOOL
AND MY WHOLE CLASS
"FLIPPED"! THEY DIDN'T
KNOW ABOUT SPIRE
COMICS! THEY DIDN'T
EVEN KNOW ABOUT
CHRISTIAN BOOKSTORES!

JUDY V.
BOSTON, MASS.

DEAR JULY:

THE SPIRE SERIES
IS ONLY 6 YEARS OLD
AND IT'S AROUND
NEW RECORDS AND
STANDARDS FOR
WE'RE PROUD OF
BOOKS AND WE'RE PROUD
OF YOU!



SPECIAL SUPER SECTION!

Get a job!

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OVER 30 SPIRE
COMICS!
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IS YOUR
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EVEN KNOW ABOUT
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JUDY V.
BOSTON, MASS.

DEAR JUDY

THE SPIRE SERIES
IS ONLY 5 YEARS OLD
AND IT'S ALREADY SET
NEW RECORDS AND
STANDARDS FOR COMICS!
WE'RE PROUD OF UR
BOOKS AND WE'RE PROUD
OF YOU!

AL

Alpha
Omega



DEAR AL:

I BELIEVE IN THE POWER OF PRAYER
AND I'VE GOT A SUGGESTION---COULD
YOU HAVE A **PRAYER PAGE** IN EVERY
SPIRE COMIC BOOK?

IT WOULD BE FANTASTIC IF MILLIONS
OF SPIRE COMIC READERS WOULD PRAY
IN FAITH ABOUT THE SAME THINGS---AND
THEN SEE GOD ANSWER PRAYERS!

PALL B.
VICTORIA, B.C.

JUST WRITE AND TELL US WHAT'S REALLY IMPORTANT
TO YOU! MAYBE YOU'VE GOT A PROBLEM / MAYBE A
RELATIVE OR A FRIEND NEEDS HELP. WE'LL PRAY FOR
YOU AND FOR YOUR FRIEND'S REQUEST---AND MANY
THOUSANDS OF OTHERS WILL SUPPORT YOU, TOO!

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**JESUS SAYS: LOVE EACH OTHER
AS I HAVE LOVED YOU**

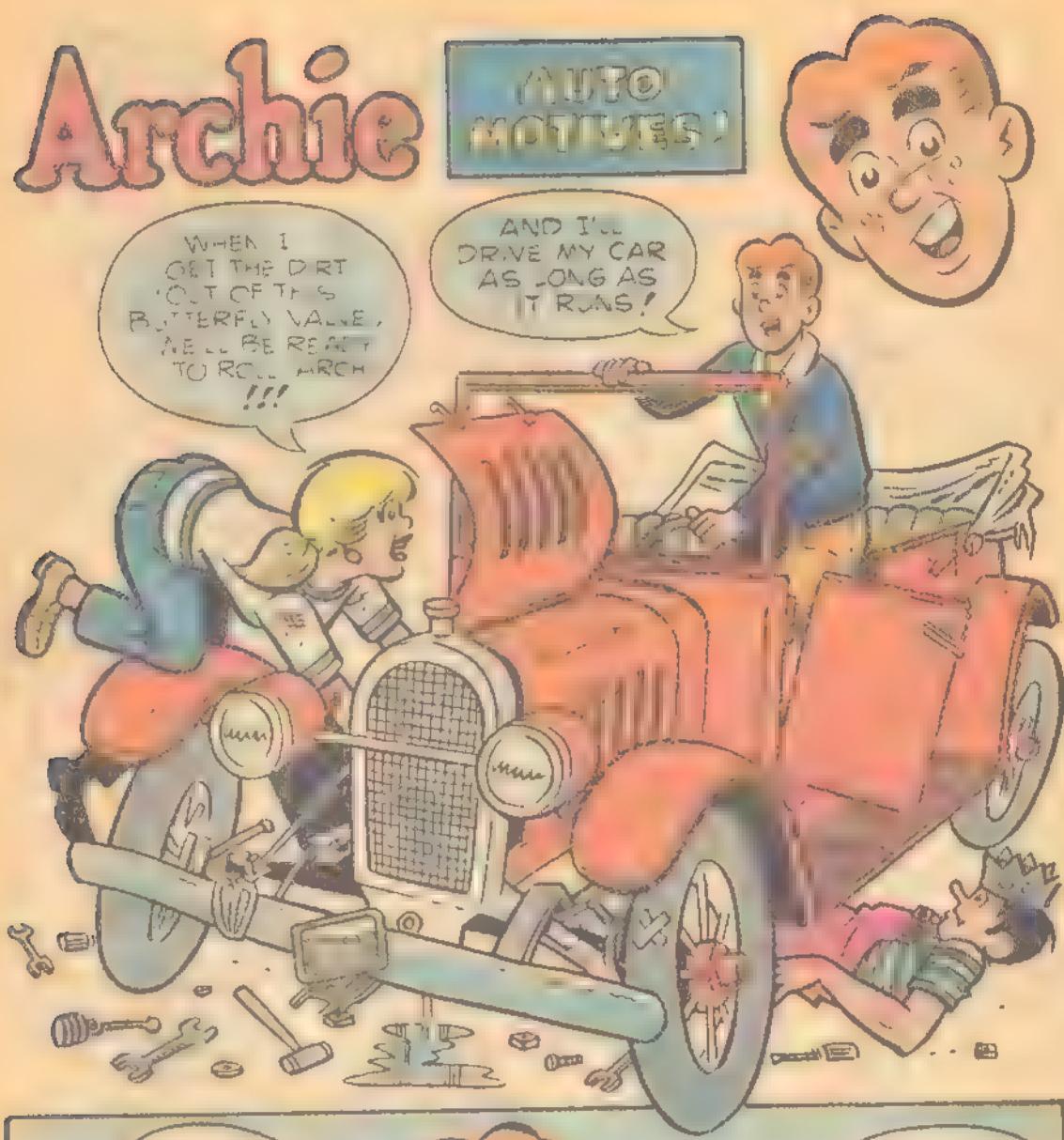
SEE JOHN 13:34

Archie

AUTO MOTIVES!

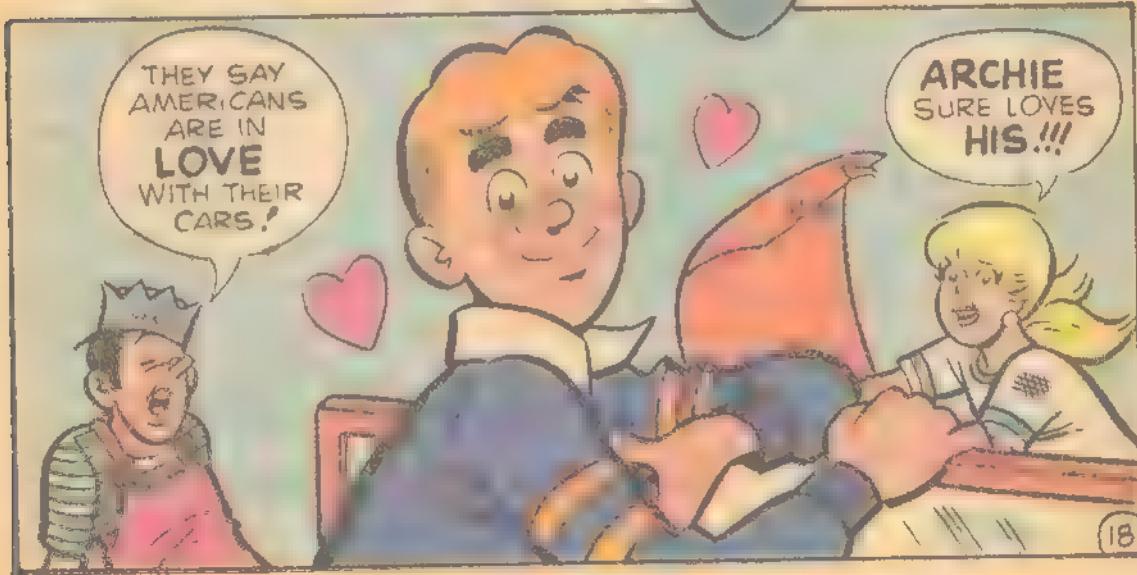
WHEN I
GET THE DRT
'OLT OF THE
BUTTERFLY VALVE,
HE'LL BE READY
TO ROLL ARCH
!!!

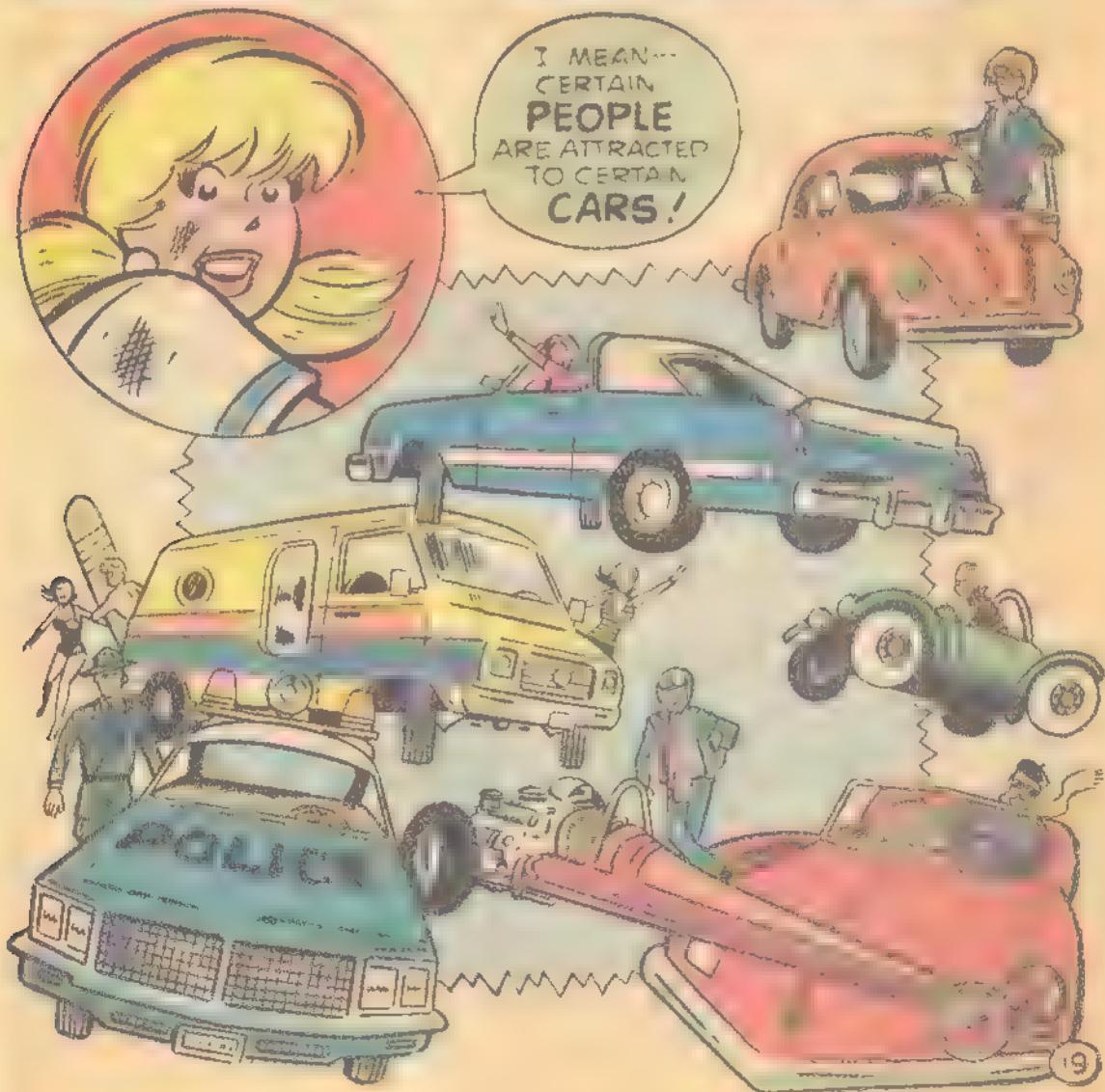
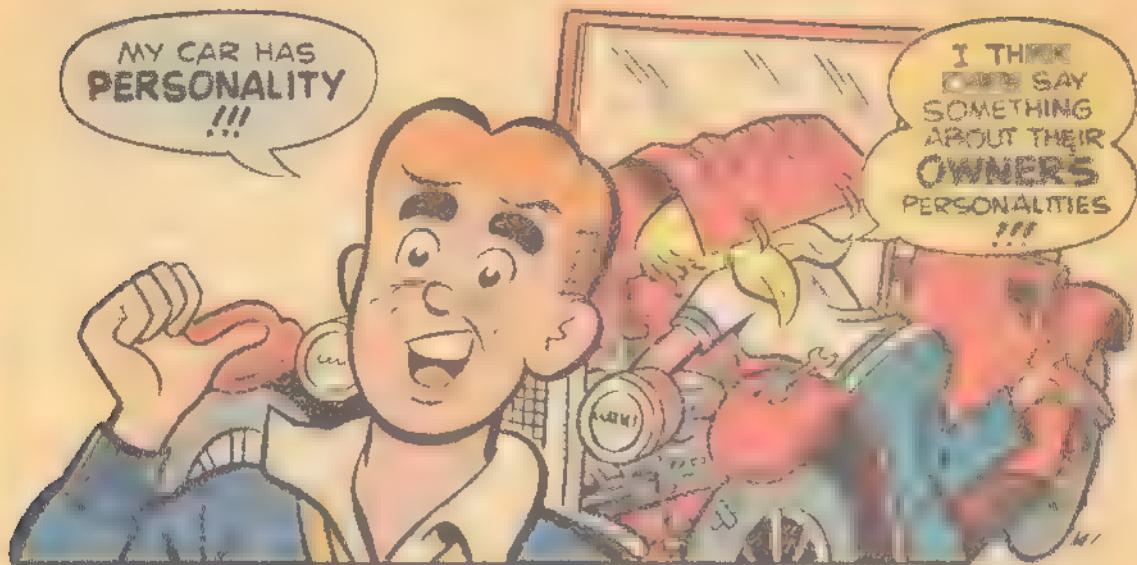
AND I'LL
DRIVE MY CAR
AS LONG AS
IT RUNS!



THEY SAY
AMERICANS
ARE IN
LOVE
WITH THEIR CARS!

ARCHIE
SURE LOVES
HIS!!!







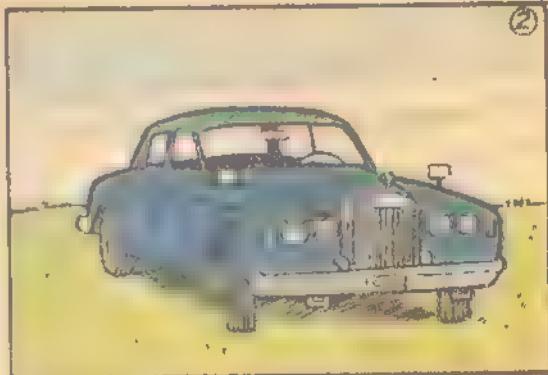
CAN YOU FIND THE BUYER
FOR EACH OF THESE CARS ???



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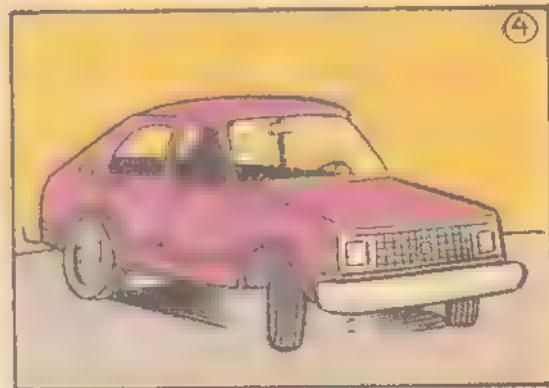
NEARLY NEW ICE-CREAM TRUCK
INCLUDING ALL THE ICE CREAM
YOU CAN EAT !!!



LOADED LUXURY MODEL... VERY
EXPENSIVE TO MAINTAIN AND
DIFFICULT TO CONTROL !!!



LOUD SPORTS MODEL - COULD USE
A MUFFLER • PERFORMS WELL
AT RALLIES !!!



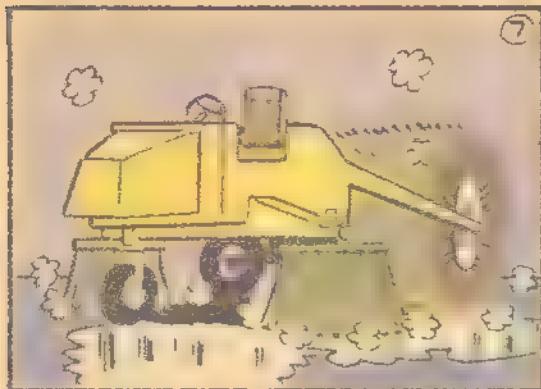
VERY CLEAN, COMFORTABLE MODEL - A
REAL PUSSYCAT! SUPER DIRECTIONAL
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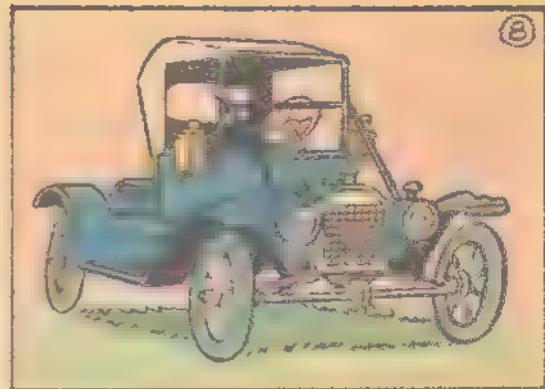
SMALL TRUCK • STRONG FRAME, BUT
NEEDS WORK UNDER THE HOOD !!!



BACKFIRES A LOT • LOW EPA RATING •
HISTORY OF ACCIDENTS !!!

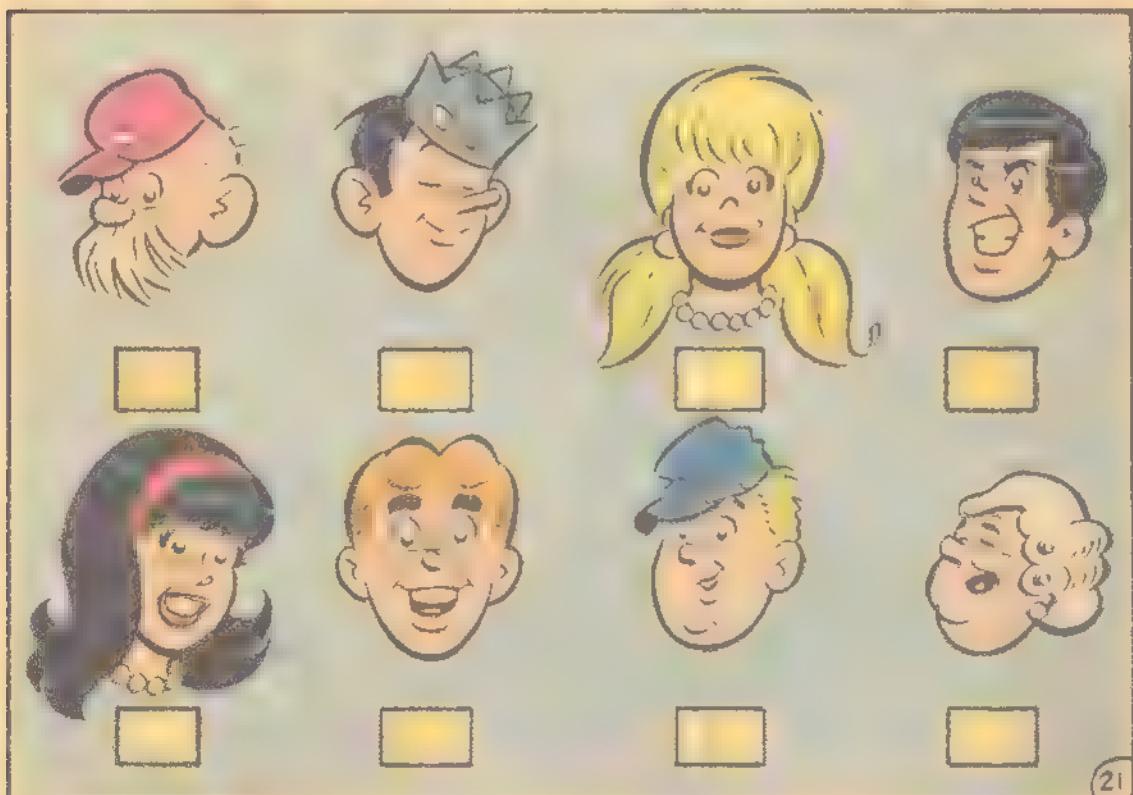


SWEDISH MANUFACTURED STREET CLEANING MACHINE, BADLY USED
BRUSHES !!!



VERY OLD MODEL. POOR VISIBILITY.
DEFINITELY NEEDS BODY WORK !!!

CAN YOU MATCH THE ADS AND THE BUYERS?
JUST PUT THE AD NUMBER UNDER THE BUYER
AND THEN CHECK THE CORRECT ANSWER BELOW!



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ANSWERS :

① JUDGEHEAD	② VERONICA	③ REGGIE	④ BETTY	⑤ BIG MOOSE	⑥ ARCHIE	⑦ MR. SVENSEN	⑧ MISS HAGGIE
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Archie

I'VE GOT
REAL
TROUBLE!

LOOK
!!!

THERE'S MR.
WEATHERBEE
!!!

CAN WE
HELP
YOU,
SIR
???

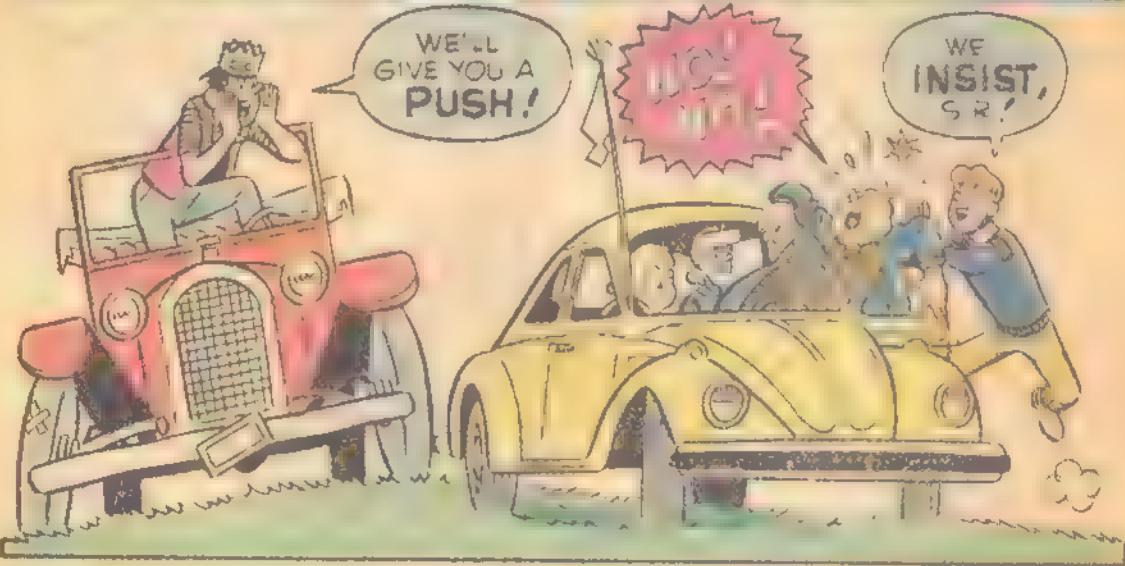
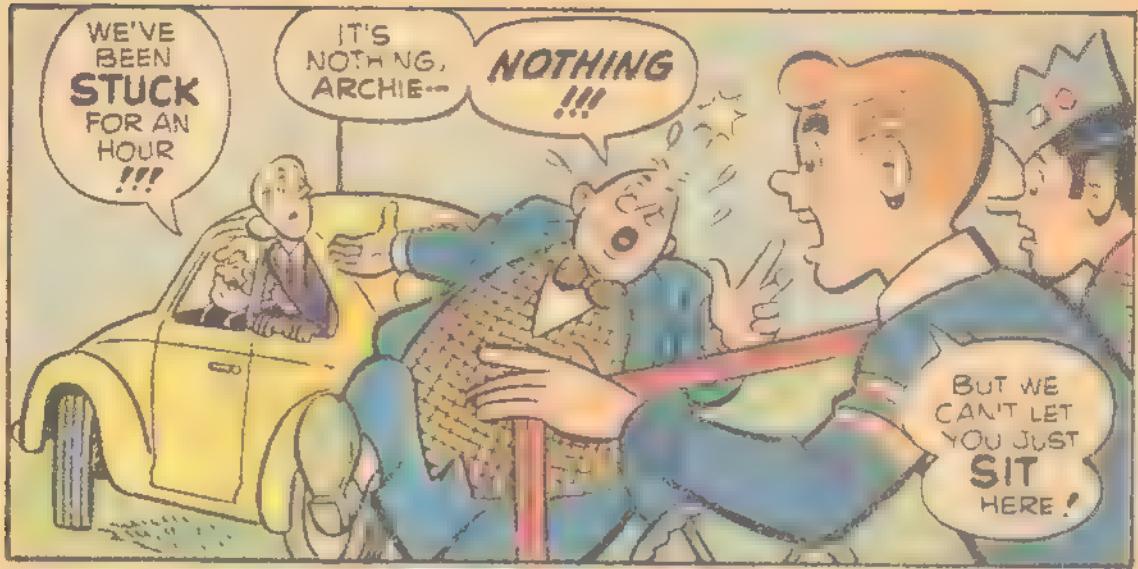
OH
NO!
(GASP!)
JUST
KEEP GOING,
ARCHIE!

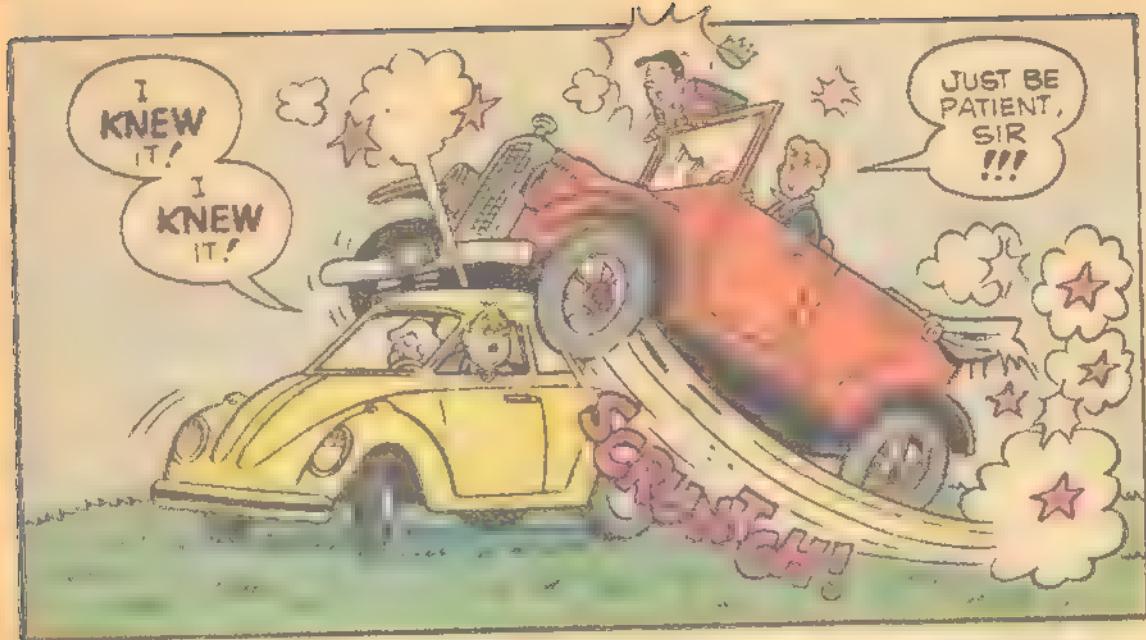
BUT
YOU'RE
FLYING A
DISTRESS
SIGNAL
!!!

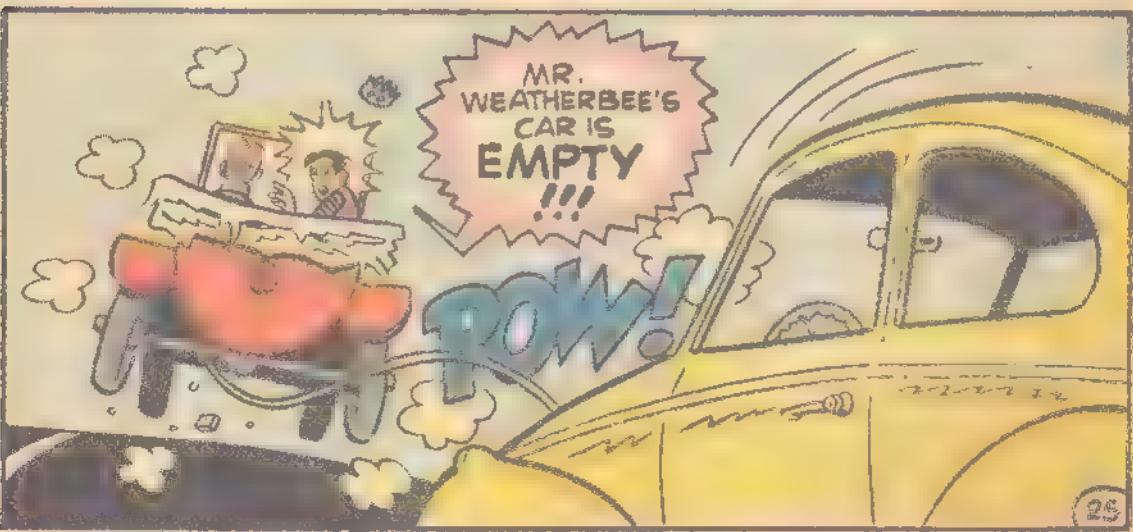
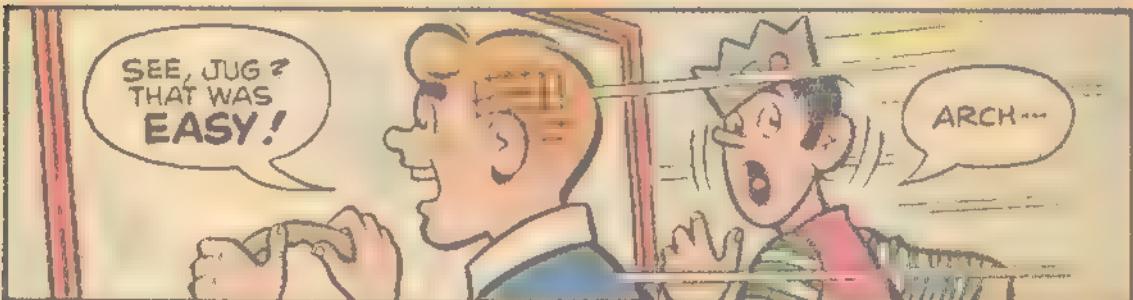
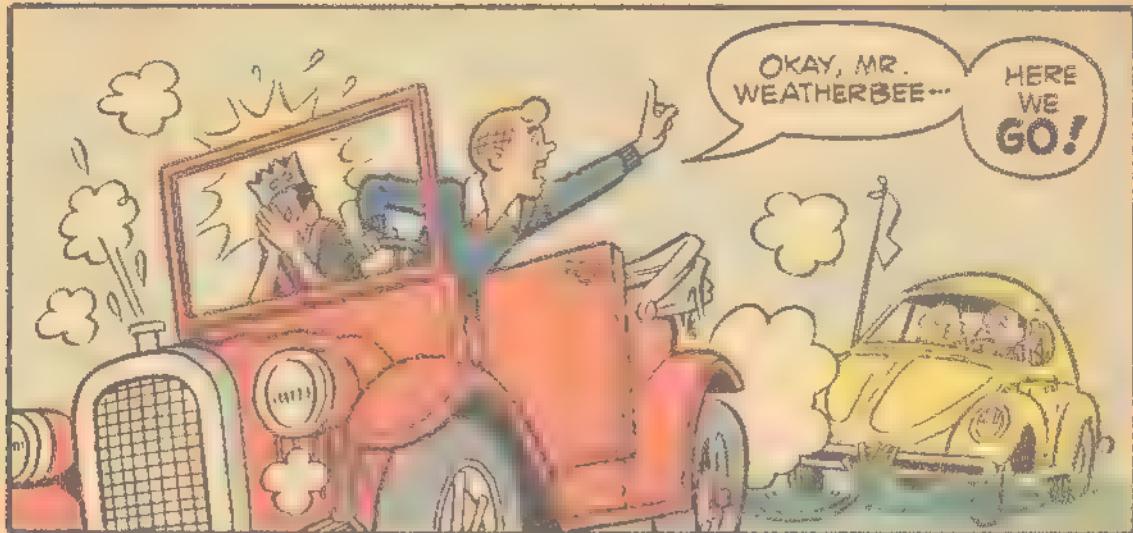
AND
YOUR
HOOD'S
OPEN!

UH...
WELL, WE
DON'T NEED
YOUR
HELP!

YES,
WE
DO
!!!





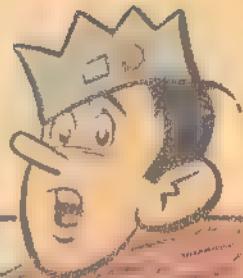




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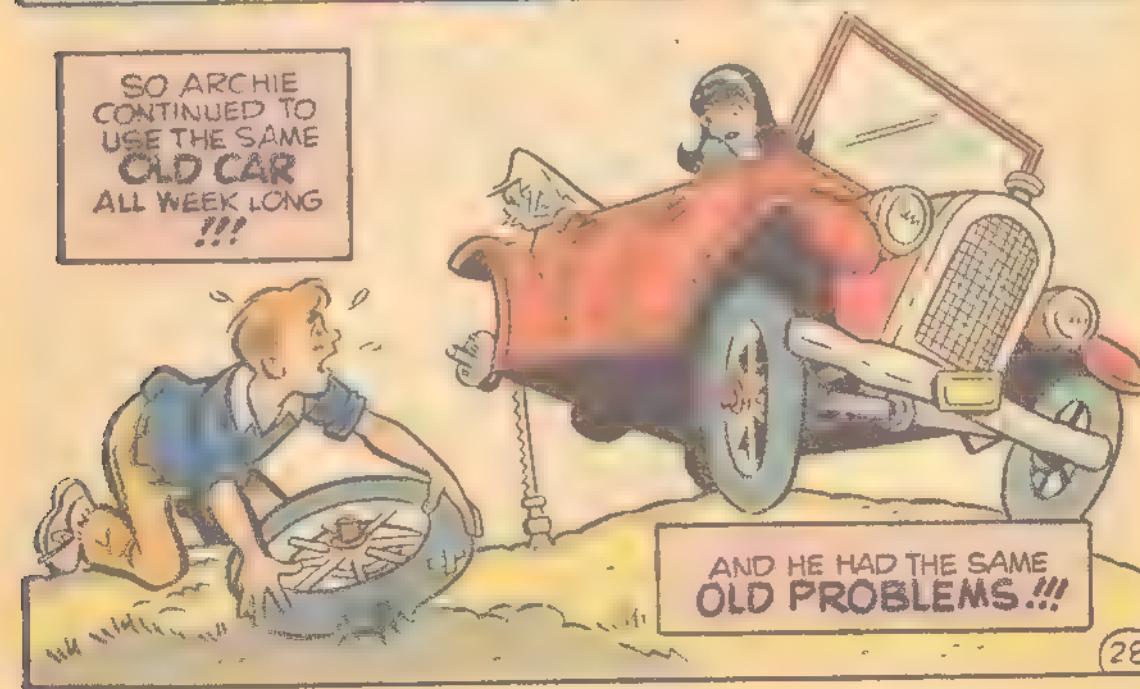
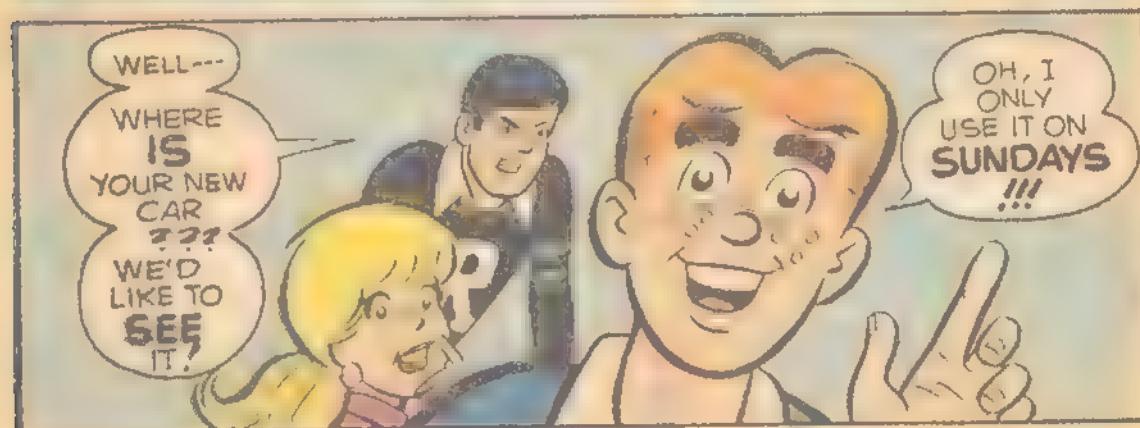
IT SEEMS
AS THOUGH ARCHIE
ALWAYS
HAD CAR
PROBLEMS!

THEN ONE DAY
HE DISCOVERED A
BRAND-NEW CAR
IN HIS DRIVEWAY
!!!



THE TITLE WAS
REGISTERED IN
ARCHIE'S NAME!

IT
WAS
PAID
FOR!



THEN
ARCHIE
BEGAN
PRAYING
ABOUT HIS
PROBLEMS
!!!

LORD, I
NEED A
**NEW
TIRE**!

ARCHIE,
YOU'VE GOT
FOUR
NEW TIRES
ON THAT
NEW CAR
!!!

ARCHIE,
WHEN ARE
YOU GOING
TO WISE UP
AND DRIVE THE
NEW CAR
???

BUT
ARCHIE'S
NEW
CAR JUST
SAT
IN THE
DRIVeway
SIX DAYS
A WEEK...

...WHILE
ARCHIE
TRIED TO
PATCH UP
THE
OLD
MODEL
!!!

LORD,
I NEED
**NEW
BRAKES**
!!!

I
WANT TO
STOP
BUT I
CAN'T
!!!

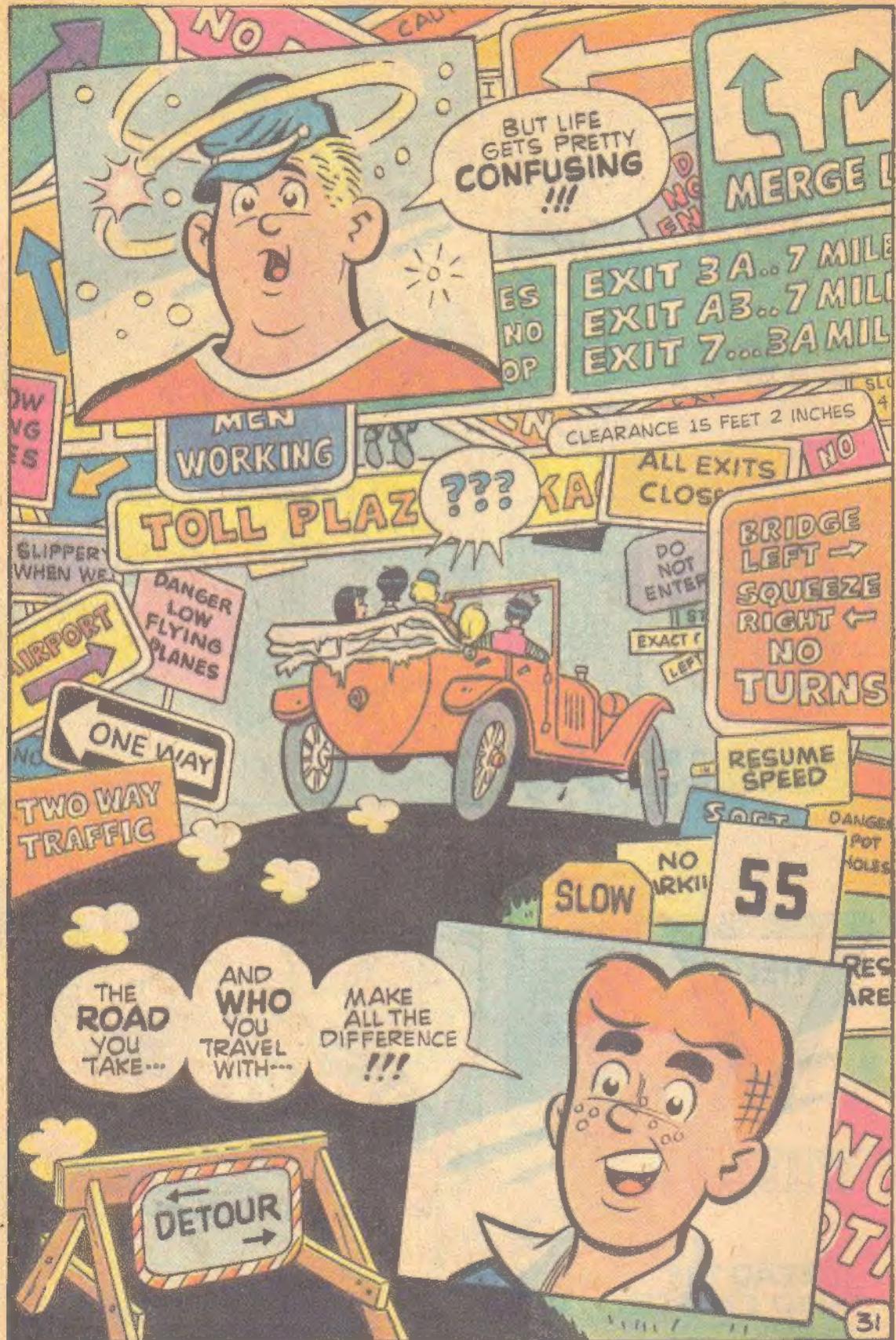
THE SAME
THING IS TRUE
WITH OUR
LIVES!

GOD SAYS:
"I'LL GIVE YOU A
NEW LIFE"
!!!

HE
PROMISES
TO BE
WITH
US EVERY
MILE!

BUT
SO OFTEN
WE SAY:
"NO
THANKS,
GOD"
!!!

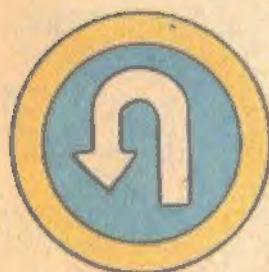
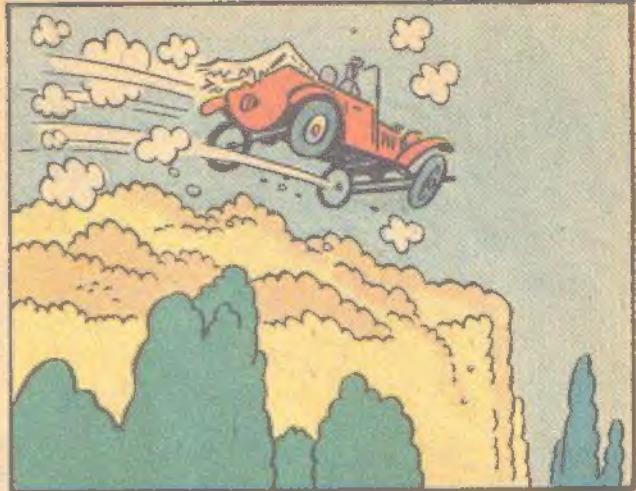
I KNOW
MY LIFE ISN'T
PERFECT,
BUT I'LL JUST
PATCH
IT UP...
AND
STRUGGLE
ALONG BY
MYSELF
!!!





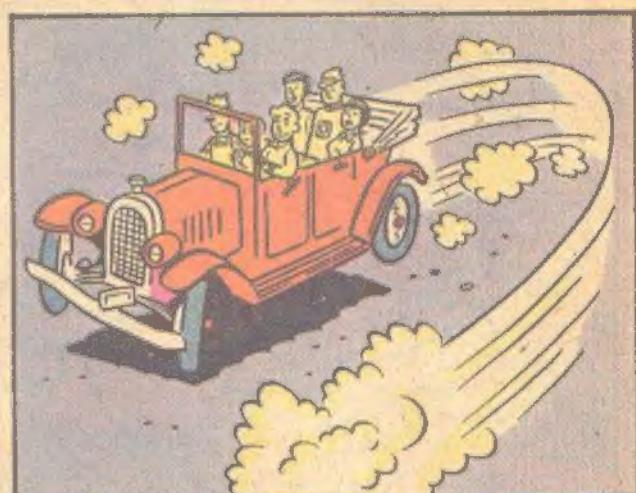
STOP!

IF
GOD
ISN'T
WITH
YOU,
YOU'RE
HEADING
FOR
TROUBLE
!!!



TURN!

TURN
AROUND
!!!
TURN
TO
GOD
!!!



YIELD!

YIELD
YOURSELF
TO GOD'S
PERFECT
PLAN
FOR
YOUR
LIFE
!!!



READ THE
THIRD CHAPTER
OF JOHN

YOU'LL GET
MORE MILEAGE
OUT OF EVERY DAY !!!

**FROM
AL HARTLEY...**



You enjoy reading comic books... I enjoy producing them!



AND HIS GRANDSON!



THE CONCEPT!

THE WRITING!



THE ART!

YOU KNOW THAT THE HEART
OF A COMIC IS THE STORY LINE!
THAT'S WHY I APPRECIATE OUR
READER/ARTIST RELATIONSHIP THROUGH
SPIRE CHRISTIAN COMICS!!!

WE'RE DOING OUR BEST TO PRODUCE
THE FINEST COMIC SERIES AVAILABLE...
FOR ENJOYABLE READING AND A GRAPHIC
ART EXPERIENCE, AND--THROUGH THE
CONTENT AND SPIRIT OF EACH BOOK--TO BRING
US CLOSER IN THE GREAT ADVENTURE OF LIFE,
AND CERTAINLY TO AID OUR AWARENESS OF
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THAT OFFERS THE BEST IN COMIC
READING AS IT HELPS US TO
SHARE TOGETHER IN FAITH AND LOVE---



AL HARTLEY AT WORK!

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